

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA  
TO AMEMBASSY CONAKRY  
SECSTATE WASHDC 3154  
INFO AMEMBASSY ROME

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DEPT FOR IO/EX

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: AORG, FAO, GV, ET  
SUBJECT: JEAN CAMARA, GUINEAN CANDIDATE FOR PRESIDENCY  
OF FAO COUNCIL

1. EMBASSY ADDIS ABABA HAS RECEIVED TWO CIRCULAR DIPLOMATIC NOTES FROM EMBASSY OF REPUBLIC OF GUINEA ON SUBJECT OF CANDIDACY OF JEAN CAMARA IN NOVEMBER 1977 ELECTION FOR PRESIDENT FOR THE FAO COUNCIL ("PRESIDENCE DU CONSEIL DE LA F.A.O." IN FRENCH). THE NOTES PROVIDE CONSIDERABLE BIOGRAPHIC MATERIAL AND ASK ALL EMBASSIES TO INFORM THEIR RESPECTIVE GOVERNMENTS IN ORDER TO "OBTAIN THEIR SUPPORT" FOR CAMARA'S CANDIDACY.

2. EMBOFF DISCUSSED NOTES WITH GUINEAN EMBASSY OFFICER WHO STATED THAT HIS EMBASSY HAD RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS FROM CONAKRY TO MAKE DEMARCHE TO THE ETHIOPIAN GOVERNMENT AND ALL EMBASSIES IN ADDIS ABABA. THE GUINEAN OFFICIAL WAS UNABLE TO PROVIDE ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REGARDING MR. CAMARA'S CANDIDACY.

3. WE ASSUME THAT EMBASSY CONAKRY HAS BEEN APPROACHED BY  
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GUINEAN FOREIGN MINISTRY ON THIS MATTER AND HAS INFORMED DEPARTMENT. UNLESS OTHERWISE INSTRUCTED, WE DO NOT PLAN TO TAKE ANY ADDITIONAL ACTION.  
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